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Personals

Harold Granville Blue, Superintendent of Public Schools, 200 Poplar Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho. Zeta 93. "I am rounding out my seventh year as superintendent of the Twin Falls, Idaho, city schools. When I came here, approximately 1800 pupils were enrolled, and about 60 teachers were employed. Today, the enrollment in all schools is nearly 3,200 and the faculties number 115 teachers, principals and supervisors. A new intermediate school—for the seventh and eighth grades—has just been completed at a cost of $300,000. While I have just been re-elected for a new term of three years at a satisfactory increase in salary, I am planning to return to the University of Chicago to complete my work."

John Alvin Blair, Head of Department of Education of McPherson College, 123 Charles Street, McPherson, Kansas. Kappa 96. "This year I have been promoted from the Principalship of the Academy and Associate Professor of Education, to the Head of the Department of Education and Psychology at a substantial increase in salary. At the present time I am especially interested in making an intelligence survey of the four academy classes and the freshman and senior classes of the institution with which I am connected. We hope to use the results of the survey in advising concerning the choice of vocation as well as in the direction of the student's educational career.

Noel Cleveland Carr, Principal East Side Junior High School, 106 Willow Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee. Beta 85. "Since receiving my M. A. Degree, June, 1913, I have been in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Served four years as principal of the Highland Park Elementary School. Am now serving my fourth year as principal of the East Side Junior High School. I was married July 12, 1914, to Miss Willia Elliott of Hereford, Texas. Am the proud "daddy" of two children—a son, four years old, and a daughter, 1 year old."

Frank Weston Barber, Superintendent of Schools, Middletown, Connecticut. Beta 6. "It may interest the members of our fraternity to know that three other men with myself met in a room at Earl Hall several times during the year 1907-1908 and formulated the plans for the fraternity and later with ten other Columbia men selected the name, "Phi Delta Kappa," drew up a constitution and designed the pin now used as the emblem of the order. We did not know at the time that there was a similar order at Indiana but learned this fact through an Indiana man, who was elected to our order at Columbia. After this we started negotiations with Indiana and finally succeeded in bringing about an amalgamation of the two educational fraternities and started the idea of expansion, adding several new chapters during the year 1909-1910. It was while I was president of the Beta Chapter that Drs. Snedden, Monroe and Suzzalo were taken into membership. True, my name has already been forgotten, but I am proud to have had some small part in the organization of this powerful fraternity, which we all believe will one day do much to shape the educational policies of America."

Edward Earl Bennett, Instructor of History and Civics, Liberty Junior High School, 20 West Eleventh Street, Hutchinson, Kansas. Kappa 51. "Parke Woodward is teaching Physiology in the Wichita High School. I remember Paul Moser very well, but don't know where he or Dale Mellenbrook are located now. I saw Grabske, Chandler and Woodward here during the K. S. T. A. meetings. I am teaching history and civics in Liberty Junior High School, and have a nice school to work in. Can you give me any suggestions as to some research work I might undertake in the two junior high schools here this year?"

John Henry Brenneman, Principal of Ottumwa High School, 713 North 5th Street, Ottmuwa, Iowa. Epsilon 221. "Grew up on a farm in Indiana. Graduated from common and high schools of Indiana. Received a B. A. degree from Union Christian College, Merom, Indiana, 1904. Taught in Illinois, Washington, Oregon and Iowa. Received B. A. degree S. U. I., 1920. I am principal of Ottumwa High School. Married, two girl babies."